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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Communications

SUBJECT: Emergency Communications

1. Thank you for your memorandum of 13 July and the list you attached of stations where we have emergency communications facilities of various kinds.

2. For the moment, I would like to restrict my reply to [REDACTED] where we appear to have a number of places where emergency facilities are lacking and should be provided. Thus, I would appreciate your equipping the following stations and bases with emergency, unmanned equipment:

[REDACTED]

I believe we should aim to get this equipment placed and ready for use within the next two to three months. The highest priority should be accorded [REDACTED] The Chief of Station for [REDACTED] is not yet at his post but should arrive within the next thirty days.

3. I realize that [REDACTED] will be serviced by the end of 1960 by the [REDACTED] net which is in the process of being established.

4. For the time being I would like to concentrate on the above [REDACTED] locations, but we will want to consult later on other possible "holes" in our world-wide coverage.

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[REDACTED]  
Acting Deputy Director (Plans)

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